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Subject: FYI: CONFIDENTIAL AND DELIBERATIVE RE: Review: next step on R10-HQ briefings

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Sent: Tuesday, July 23, 2013 9:33 AM

To: Haire, Michael; Furtak, Sarah; Whitlock, Steve; Keating, Jim

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I agree with Mike.

Jim

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Sarah:

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From: Furtak, Sarah

Sent: Monday, July 22, 2013 10:48 PM

To: Haire, Michael; Goodin, John

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Attached are "extensive" Region 10 comments on the draft briefing paper I provided for review on Jul 12. Given the paper is largely rewritten with dozens of sidebar comments, I see 2 options:

- 1. I can clean this up, targeting sharing it with the HQ Informal Technical Review Team (including Jim Curtin) ~Wed., July 24 for 24-hour review, and then provide the paper to T. Wall by ~Jul 29 (compressed day for me) for the Jul 30 pre-brief for T. Wall.
- 2. Postpone the pre-brief for T. Wall and briefing for Denise til Aug. (I understand the face-to-face with the state and tribe is 28 Aug?!).

I'll opt for option 1, especially since we can hope for Mike's participation in the Jul 30 and Jul 31 briefings. HQ Team review will be extremely brief. Let me know if you opt/recommend otherwise.

Best, Sarah

From: Rueda, Helen

Sent: Monday, July 22, 2013 7:15 PM

To: Furtak, Sarah

Cc: Owens, Kim; Cope, Ben; Croxton, Dave

Subject:

Hi Sarah

Here are our comments and suggestions for the briefing paper. As I mentioned before, they are extensive. We've restructured for clarity, included background information we thought relevant, revised to address our impressions from the last call, and tried to retain statements of HQ's own position in your own words. Best read first in "Final" without the redlines.

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